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November 19, 2004

Federal Communications Commissions
Office of the Secretary
445-12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

Dear Sir or Madam:

The purpose of the following letter is a Request for Review of decision(s) made by SLD concerning Funding Year 2004. On the Funding Commitment Report the discount percentage approved by SLD was 20%. We believe this figure to be incorrect and that it should be at least 50%. According to the data we have accumulated pertaining to the Free and Reduced Lunch Program, we have sufficient number to qualify for a discount of 50%. I have enclosed paper work that is meant to support this appeal.

CC Docket No. 02-6

Applicant Name:

Montessori Day Public School Chartered

Billed Entity Number:

97159

Form 471 App. Number:

417776

Date on FCDL:

June 8, 2004

Sincerely,

Ed Huffman
Business Manager

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The table below demonstrates the return rate was at least 50%.

	# Families	Forms Returned
Mountainside	190	178
Lakeshore	50	35
North Ranch	44	21
Totals:	284	234
Total %:		82%

This table illustrates the actual number of survey's returned with the number of children that qualified for the Free and Reduced Lunch Program. Several families have two or more children in the program.

	Total # of Students	Qualify Free & Reduced
Mountainside	233	110
Lakeshore	69	5
North Ranch	45	8
Total:	347	123
Total %:		35.4%

Due to the large population of Hispanic/ESL families, we determined that a high percentage of the unreturned forms were primarily from Hispanic/ESL families. This leads us to the reasonable assumption that at minimum nineteen (19) more students qualify for the Free and Reduced Lunch Program in addition to above numbers. This would raise the percentage to 41%, respectively.

This table below represents the projected figures:

	Total # of Students	Qualify for Free & Reduced
Mountainside	233	129
Lakeshore	69	5
North Ranch	45	8
Total:	347	142
Total %:		41%